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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	:	
TOSHIKI KUMAZAWA, ET AL.)	:	Examiner: Mary Ceperley
Application No.: 10/018,807)	:	Group Art Unit: 1641
Filed: April 17, 2002)	:	
For: CARRIER FOR IMMUNOASSAY)	:	
AND SOLD PHASE FOR)	:	
IMMUNOASSAY CONTAINING)	:	
THE SAME)	:	April 7, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Official Action dated March 14, 2005 (Paper No.

03092005) in the above-identified application, as follows.